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FOR: NEW ANTIVIRAL LIPOPEPTIDES, AND A METHOD OF
INACTIVATING LIPID-ENVELOPED VIRUSES USING LIPOPEPTIDES

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 26, 2001

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 26, 2000, the due date having been extended for one (1) month until February 26, 2001, the following Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 12 and 17 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

{ Please amend the claims as follows. }

1. (Twice Amended) A method of inactivating lipid-enveloped viruses in non-cell culture biological products, [in serum-free cell cultures or in serum-containing cell cultures,] which comprises

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